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In re Application of:
Gregory E. Burns, et al.

Serial No.: 09/629,601

Filed: 07/31/2000

For: CONFIGURABLE STORAGE ARRAY

Group Art Unit: 2782

Examiner: Unknown

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RESPONSE TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(F) NOTICE

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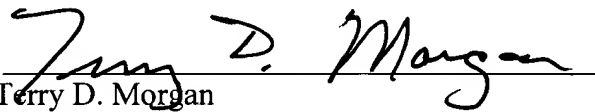
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- (c) Our check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing; and
- (e) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted.

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RE: *U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/629,601*
Entitled: "CONFIGURABLE STORAGE ARRAY"
Inventor(s): Burns, et al.
Client Reference: P00-3064

Sir:

Please find enclosed:

- (1) A Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) to Notice to File Missing Parts mailed September 21, 2000; and
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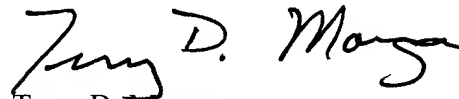
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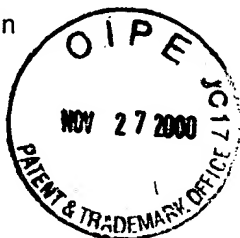


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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